

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Eija Pirhonen, Loredana Moimas, and) Examiner:
Franz Weber) Anand U. Desai, Ph.D.
Serial No.: 10/796,777) Art Unit: 1653
Filed: March 9, 2004)
Title: BONE GRAFTING MATERIAL, METHOD,)
AND IMPLANT)

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 15, 2006. Kindly amend the above-referenced application as follows.

Amendments to the specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the claim listing, which begins at page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 6 of this paper.